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# CarrotFest!

MIRIAM KING  
Bradford Times

The party started Friday evening, as Mayor Rob Keffner and all of council officially opened CarrotFest 2016 in the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury.

"More than just a street fair," it's a celebration of the town's agricultural heritage, the Mayor said. "A time to celebrate our community and bring people together in downtown Bradford."

MPP for York Simcoe Julia Munro, wearing a hat festooned with carrots, spoke of Bradford West Gwillimbury's "tremendous" sense of identity and community, expressed in events like the annual Carrot Festival.

By Saturday morning, CarrotFest was in full swing. A vendor's market filled Holland St. from Bingham to Church St., extending one block north on Barrie. Every booth was decorated with carrots or the colour orange, whether it was promoting services, selling goods or offering visitors an opportunity to win a prize.

At the Vin Bon booth, visitors could sample wines and guess the number of grapes in an oversized bottle, for the chance to win a free wine kit.

At the BWG Public Library booth, there was a "Carrot Lending Library", where kids could "sign out" a hand-made stuffed carrot toy for the duration of the festival.

One of the most popular booths, which had a line-up all day long, wasn't selling any-

thing. Green Valley Alliance Church was giving away walking sticks and beaded bracelets, in exchange for listening to a quick explanation of the meaning of the coloured beads - "a simple way for anyone to understand the Christian message," said Pastor Kent Nielsen.

Out at the Bob Falls Sports Centre, over 100 runners participated in the annual 5K Carrot-Fast Run, including competitors taking part in the Ontario Masters Athletics Road Race Championships - while at the Bradford Community Centre, Dock Dogs were warming up by jumping in the huge portable pool, an increasingly attractive idea as temperatures soared.

There was food, free face-painting, PWA wrestling at the old arena, a Messy Face Ice Cream contest at 3 Scoops Ice Cream - where top prize was more ice cream - bouncy castles, an inflatable corn maze, pony rides, and live entertainment, on the Main Stage and on the street.

Buskers like Brant Matthews the Fire Guy, Silver Elvis, Mighty Mike, and HASA - The Herclina Arts Space Aerialist team - performed and passed the hat.

The evening ended with the death-defying stunts of the ladder BMX stunt riders, and a Flaming Carrot Fire Show at the Four Corners, as the music and partying went on until midnight, at one of Ontario's Top 100 festivals.



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Dragon's Breath. Busker Trulee Odd breathes fire during the Flaming Carrot Fire Show.

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# EPIC journey leads to EPIC Open House

MIRIAM KING  
Bradford Times

The old Bond Head public school, that once housed Grades K-2, has been renovated and reinvented.

It's now the EPIC (Entrepreneurial Promotion and Investment Centre) Social Innovation & Training Hub, offering hands-on training in the trades, social and 'soft' skills, computers, graphic design and more, to the community - especially newcomers to Canada and the unemployed.

"This is a really exciting part of our journey that started 14 years ago, in Vaughan," said Noor Din, founder and CEO of Human Endeavour, parent organization of EPIC, at the grand opening of the Hub on Aug. 18.

Noor Din came to Canada from Pakistan in 1990, "an immigrant like all of us," and initially pursued a career in engineering. In 2004, he switched his focus - inspired by the difficulty of providing necessary social services, especially to new Canadians. The result was Human Endeavour, built on a new model of partnership, and self-reliance.

Rather than wait for government support, Human Endeavour asked the question, "Can we bring together enough community support to kickstart a project?" - an entrepreneurial model that engaged local businesses, residents and municipal governments, to meet local needs.

"Instead of trying to perfect it first, for us it's always 'Take action quickly', and then work with local government and local community, and make sure the proper service is delivered," he said.

The model was launched in



Rev. Jim Keenan, Councillors Raj Sandhu and Gary Baynes, Mayor Rob Keffler (with large scissors), Councillor Ron Or, CEO Noor Din, and Councillor Peter Ferragine, joined by volunteers, students and staff, in cutting the ribbon.

Vaughan with great success, and subsequently has been replicated in Georgina, and now in Bradford West Gwillimbury.

Among those attending the Grand Opening were BWG Mayor Rob Keffler, and Councillors Ron Or, Raj Sandhu, Gary Baynes and Peter Ferragine. They were thanked for the strong support shown by town council - support that included making the Bond Head location available for a nominal rent.

"The town has given us the space," Noor Din said, but his team made "many changes" in the four weeks leading up to the opening, before the space was usable.

A tour of the interior showed new meeting rooms, workshop areas, and a large open space for trades training, designed to house the three-month Pre-Construction Course being offered this fall, as well as forklift operator training, and Specialist High Skills Major programs.

The preliminary work has been

done, but the Hub won't be successful without community buy-in and engagement, Noor Din said - "how you, as a community, work with us to make it a vibrant space. Now it's your part, as to how we deliver the services."

"The mandate we've given ourselves is to respond to the needs of local industry," said Rev. Jim Keenan, Chair of the Board of Directors. With that in mind, EPIC has contacted local employers - and identified the need to create "a strong sense of Trades culture here." That's one reason why the Hub will offer pre-construction training to eight to 10 students, providing them with technical skills and experience needed to pursue a career in construction, from footings to roofing. It's needed, said Dom Duraes, to fill the gap created as older skilled tradespeople retire, in trades that include cement finishing, carpentry, and auto mechanic. "We need new people to fill the gap," he said;

the Social Innovation & Training Hub provides "the tools to fill the gap.... This organization can provide the tools, and make it much easier for businesses," that otherwise would be faced with training costs ranging from \$8,000 to \$15,000 per employee.

"The business community should thank them, big time!" Duraes said. Mayor Keffler, who attended Grade 2 at the Bond Head school, thanked EPIC for making "this vision a reality," and restoring the building to its original function as an education centre.

"Businesses struggle to fulfill their needs for skilled tradespeople... while residents are looking for work. The Social Innovation & Training Hub will fulfill both those needs," Keffler said.

A ribbon-cutting was followed by a tour of the Hub, and children's activities outside on the lawn. For more information contact info@humanendeavour.org, CEO Noor Din at 416-726-3252, or Chair Jim Keenan, 905-751-5335 - and watch for details of upcoming courses.

## News Briefs

### Be prepared for severe weather

Toronto - The severe storm that swept through southern Ontario on July 8, bringing high winds up to 100 mph, heavy rain, lightning and hail, caused over \$30 million in insured damage, according to the Insurance Bureau of Canada. Areas hardest hit included Orillia, Markdale, and Bradford.

Hail and high winds damaged roofs, siding and windows on homes, dented cars and broke windshields. Significant crop damage was also reported.

The damage estimate comes with a warning: "Severe storms have been happening more often and with greater intensity across Ontario," says Kim Donaldson, VP of Ontario Insurance Bureau of Canada. Donaldson urged Canadians to "understand their insurance policies and what's covered" - and to have an emergency preparedness plan and 72-hour emergency kit in case severe weather hits, causing flooding, power outages and hazardous conditions.

### Newcomer Recognition Awards

The County of Simcoe Local Immigration Partnership is now accepting submissions for the 2016 Newcomer Recognition Awards - recognizing residents, youth, businesses, schools and organizations that work to connect and improve the lives of immigrants in Simcoe County. Deadline for submissions is Sept. 23; for more information, see immigration.simcoe.ca.

This will be the fourth year for the awards. The Local Immigration Partnership is supported by Immigration Refugees and Citizenship Canada, and is comprised of community leaders from education, policing, library services, development, health, housing and counselling sectors; employment services; government; and the United Way of Greater Simcoe County.

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## Point of View

### Could Olympics use another Calgary?

As the curtain fell on the Rio Olympics, we are left to reflect on the good, the bad and the ugly of those Games.

The good is easily defined: The first-rate performances by Canada's athletes, both in competition and in behaviour. On the medal front, the Canadian effort can surely be judged a success. And praise for our women, winning most of the medals and reestablishing this country as a power in swimming.

As for the bad, the decision to allow various Russian athletes to compete despite state-sponsored drug cheating at its own Games in Sochi was a shameful disgrace.

Then, the host country announces the Paralympics will be severely curtailed because they've run out of money.

Then, the ugly sight of athletes involved in make-believe gunpoint robberies, while others are banned from the closing ceremony because of loutish behaviour.

Meanwhile, the local crowds, not content with cheering on their own heroes, thought it sporting to hurl abuse at anyone challenging a Brazilian for a medal.

Which brings us suitably to Calgary and the city's cautious first steps toward a bid for the Winter Games in 2026.

"From almost the moment that I was elected mayor, six years ago almost, citizens have been coming to me saying, 'it's time,'" said Mayor

Naheed Nenshi in deciding to spend \$5 million to explore the opportunity.

"It's time in the worldwide Olympic movement; it's time in the sport history of this city, and it's time in the cultural history of this city for us to bid for another Olympic Games."

We echo those sentiments, even during these tough economic times. We expect this feasibility study will be thorough and itself an exercise in frugality, just as we'd also expect that, if the bid is successful, the event would mirror that cost consciousness.

The excesses of Sochi should no longer provide the standard for choosing venues.

We have seen too much strutting and preening nationalism, inevitably leading to a legacy of empty, crumbling shell facilities. Such excess didn't happen in 1988. Countless Albertans and visitors enjoyed those Games, which made a profit of \$140 million and left legacy facilities such as the Olympic Oval, Canmore Nordic Centre and Canada Olympic Park, which are still in active use.

The volunteer spirit is still deeply rooted in the Prairie nation. Can anyone imagine Calgarians booing a competitor because failure might lead to a Canadian gold?

Some will say we don't need another Olympics. Perhaps, but ask instead whether the Olympics might instead need Calgary.

—Postmedia Network

## Ukraine Independence Day



MIRIAM KING/BRADFORD TIMES

The Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury has proclaimed Aug. 28 as Independence Day of Ukraine, marking the 25th anniversary of the adoption of The Act of Declaration of Independence of Ukraine by the Ukrainian Parliament, on Aug. 24, 1991. Today, Independence Day is the country's primary state holiday, recognized by flying the national flag on the eve of August 24, and activities during the day. The Ukrainian flag, reinstated in 1992 and adopted by the Parliament of Ukraine (Verkhovna Rada), is blue, representing sky, mountains and waters, and gold, symbolizing the wheat fields of the country. There will be a flag-raising and celebration on Sunday, Aug. 28 at 1 p.m., in front of the Bradford Courthouse, 57 Holland St. East.

## Letter to the Editor

### THE CASE FOR MIDDLETOWN RD.

To the editor: I'm told the photos still exist – for blackmail purposes? – but it's hard to believe it's been well over a decade since I was a kid needing to be hauled out of knee-deep mud as we constructed the new St. John's Presbyterian Church.

With any luck, very soon the property will again be under construction – this time to build a much-needed seniors' housing facility, one that will create up to 80 jobs once fully built. Full disclosure: I am a consultant for the developer, Bekerman Properties Inc.

But the prospect of another significant new build got me thinking about the name of the road. Technically it's the 10th Sideroad, but it hasn't always been; more often than not it's called "Middletown Road."

Many are used to calling the route "Middletown," from back in the days when the road marked the halfway point between Bond Head and Bradford.

Long-time readers of The Bradford Times may recall that local historian Donald McCugan attempted to have the name of the road "changed back" to Middletown Road in the mid-2000s, but was rebuffed by council.

I've used quotation marks on the words "changed back," because it is worth pointing out that Middletown Road is more than a shorthand or residual colloquialism for 10 Sideroad; in fact, there are several newly-erected signs near Line 5 that label it Middletown Road, the pumping station located just off the road is called Middletown Sanitary Station, and town documents for the industrial zone refer to the area as the Middletown Industrial Hub.

In addition to the arguments regarding history and common use, Middletown Road is simply more attractive and easily communicated – a better name for a main municipal artery that is also essentially the "modern Church Street," with the Jehovah's Witness Hall, a mosque, St. John's and Bradford Baptist churches, as well as the future Seniors' housing facility, sports facility and industrial hub – all important local landmarks.

It would also just be a nice way to note that this area is "the middle of the town." So whaddya think? Let's "change back" and formalise the street's name as Middletown Road.

JONATHAN SCOTT  
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# At the Bradford Legion

**Friday Night Social.** Fridays at 6 p.m., drop by the Bradford Legion, 115 Back St. in Bradford, for a meal at a reasonable price, followed by entertainment. The first Friday of the month usually features Karaoke - but it will be cancelled on Sept. 2 due to the Labour Day long weekend! The third Friday is Pub Night - and on Sept. 16, will feature Karaoke with Bob Serran, starting at 8 p.m. No cover charge.

**Darts Leagues**, on break during the summer months, will be starting up during the week of Sept. 12 - including Monday, Tuesday and Thursday Night Fun Leagues. All welcome. Drop by to learn more.

**The Annual Walter Duncan Golf Tournament** takes place Saturday, Sept. 17 - registration at 9 a.m., shotgun start at 9:30. Only \$70 for 18 holes of Golf at Big Cedar GC, plus Cart, and dinner back at the Legion Hall. Call Frank, 905-775-0008 or Rick, 905-252-5588 to sign up.

**Honours & Awards.** The Annual Branch 521 Honours & Awards will be presented at the legion on Sept. 18, from 1 to 4 p.m. Will include entertainment, and a late BBQ lunch at no charge.

**Newbie Hoe-down** Saturday, Sept. 24 at the Bradford Legion - includes dinner of ribs, some wild game, baked beans and salad at 6:30 p.m., plus music by Common Ground, starting at 8 p.m. Tickets \$25 per person, from Alice 905-775-8245 or Dianne, 705-424-9378.

**The legion is here for Canada's Vets.** There is support available for veterans and their spouses, whether at home, or in a nursing home or care facility. You don't have to be a Legion member to ask for assistance. Contact Veteran Services Officer Ron Harmer at 705-775-4919. For more information on events, programs and membership in the Legion or the Ladies Auxiliary, or hall rentals, call Branch 521 at 905-775-5025.



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Members enjoy the August Birthday Lunch - a casual luncheon of burgers, sausage and fresh summer salads.

## Birthday luncheon at the Danube Centre

The Danube Seniors Leisure Centre, 715 Simcoe Rd. in Bradford, hosted its annual Summer Barbecue on Aug. 18 - a members-only luncheon featuring hamburgers, sausages and a rainbow of brightly-coloured summer salads.

"The eye eats too," said Elke Pickin, serving up tea and coffee.

The Danube Centre offers programs and activities for seniors. For information, call 905-775-0612.

### Coming Up:

• Saturday at the Movies. The

Queen, with Helen Mirren, will screen on Saturday, August 27. Show starts at 1 p.m. \$3 cover charge includes popcorn, movie and refreshments. In honour of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II's 90th Birthday!

• **Vegas North Tribute Artists concert**, featuring "Dean Martin" and "Frank Sinatra". Saturday, September 24 at the Centre. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., show starts at 7 p.m. Refreshments at intermission. Tickets are \$20, available now at the Centre.

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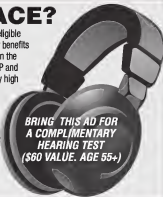
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## Meetings & Announcements

### Town Council

Members of the public are invited to attend all Council, Committee of the Whole and other Committee meetings. Meeting agendas and minutes are available at: [bradfordwestgwillimbury.chivweb.net](http://bradfordwestgwillimbury.chivweb.net)

For further information or to request a deputation, please contact the Clerk's Division at 905-775-5366.

### Regular Meeting of Council & Committee of the Whole

• Tue. Sep. 6 @ 7:00 p.m. – BWG Library  
425 Holland St. W. – Zima Room

### Board/Committee

#### Traffic Committee

• Tue. Aug. 30 @ 6:30 p.m. – 305 Barrie St., Unit 2, Boardroom

### Employment Opportunities

• 2016-BA08 – Admin. Assistant – Building  
(15 mth. contract) Closing: September 2, 2016

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For more on these positions, call 905-775-5366  
or visit [www.townofbwg.com/careers](http://www.townofbwg.com/careers)

### Proclamations

• August 28 – **Independence Day of Ukraine**  
(flag raising Aug. 28 @ 1:00 p.m., BWG Leisure Centre)

• September – **Prostate Cancer Awareness Month**

## Share your thoughts

on the Town of BWG's Official Plan Review

**WE WANT YOUR INPUT** as we review the Town's Official Plan. Here are some upcoming opportunities to be part of the process.

### SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL:

BWG Public Library, 425 Holland St. W.  
• **September 6, 7pm**

### PHASE I PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE:

BWG Public Library, 425 Holland St. W.  
• **September 13, 4-6pm, 7-9pm**

### PHASE I PUBLIC MEETING:

BWG Public Library, 425 Holland St. W.  
• **October 4, 7pm**

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## Events & Activities

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**Kick-off Band Wanderlust • 6:30pm**

**Headlining Band Hap Roderman (Jazz) • 7:30pm**

**BWG Library & Cultural Centre West Lawn (425 Holland St. West)**

**Get more information call: 905-775-5359 ext. 5102**

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**Thursday, October 18 - December 6, 2016**  
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## Expropriations Act

# NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO EXPROPRIATE LAND

**IN THE MATTER OF** an application by The Corporation of the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury for approval to expropriate land described in Schedules "A" and "B" hereto, in the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, in the County of Simcoe, for the purposes of construction of the Southwest Arterial Road (SWAR) from the intersection of Holland St. W/10th Sideroad to the intersection of Line 5/10th Sideroad and west along Line 5 and works ancillary thereto.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that application has been made for approval to expropriate the land described in Schedules "A" and "B" hereto. Any owner of lands in respect of which notice is given who desires an inquiry into whether the taking of such land is fair, sound and reasonably necessary in the achievement of the objectives of the expropriating authority shall so notify the approving authority in writing.

- (a) In the case of a registered owner, served personally or by registered mail within thirty days after the registered owner is served with the notice, or, when the registered owner is served by publication, within thirty days after the first publication of the notice;
- (b) In the case of an owner who is not a registered owner, within thirty days after the first publication of the notice.

#### The approving authority is:

The Council of The Corporation of the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury  
100 Dissette Street, Units 7 & 8, P.O. Box 100, Bradford, Ontario L3Z 2A7

#### The expropriating authority is:

The Corporation of the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury  
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**THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF  
BRADFORD WEST GWILLIMBURY**  
**Rebecca Murphy**

**Director of Corporate Services/Town Solicitor/Clerk**

This notice first published on the 25th day of August, 2016.

#### SCHEDULE "A"

#### FEE SIMPLE

An estate in fee simple in the lands described as follows:

Lands in the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury in the County of Simcoe, being composed of those lands designated as Parts on Plans deposited in the Land Registry Office for the Land Titles Division of Simcoe County (No. 51) more particularly described as follows:

1. Part of Lot 10, Concession 6, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 7 on Reference Plan 51R-4056S.
2. Part of Lot 11, Concession 6, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 9 on Reference Plan 51R-4056S.
3. Part of Lot 10, Concession 6, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 5 on Reference Plan 51R-4056S.
4. Part of Lot 10, Concession 6, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 1 on Reference Plan 51R-4059A.
5. Part of Lot 10, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 6 on Reference Plan 51R-4058B.
6. Part of Lot 10, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Parts 1 and 4 on Reference Plan 51R-4058B.
7. Part of Lot 11, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 10 on Reference Plan 51R-4058B and Part 1 on Reference Plan 51R-4058S.
8. Part of Lot 11, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 3 on Reference Plan 51R-4054S.

9. Part of Lot 10, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 3 on Reference Plan 51R-40547 and Part 1 on Reference Plan 51R-40543.
10. Part of Lot 9, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 11 on Reference Plan 51R-40533.
11. Part of Lot 8, Concession 4, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 1 on Reference Plan 51R-40516.
12. Part of Lot 11, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 8 on Reference Plan 51R-40586.
13. Part of Block 182, Registered Plan 51M-1075, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 11 on Reference Plan 51R-4056S.

#### SCHEDULE "B"

#### TEMPORARY EASEMENT

A temporary easement or rights in the nature of a temporary easement for a period of six (6) years commencing on the date of registration of the expropriation plan on, under, over, along and upon the following lands for the purpose of entering upon and occupying the lands with all necessary vehicles, machinery, equipment and material required to facilitate the construction of the Southwest Arterial Road (SWAR) from the intersection of Holland St. W/10th Sideroad to the intersection of Line 5/10th Sideroad and west along Line 5, grading and other works ancillary thereto.

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4. Part of Lot 10, Concession 6, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 2 on Reference Plan 51R-4059A.
5. Part of Lot 10, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 7 on Reference Plan 51R-4058B.
6. Part of Lot 10, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Parts 2, 3 and 5 on Reference Plan 51R-4058B.
7. Part of Lot 11, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 11 on Reference Plan 51R-4058B and Parts 2 and 3 on Reference Plan 51R-4058S.
8. Part of Lot 11, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 4 on Reference Plan 51R-40543.
9. Part of Lot 10, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 4 on Reference Plan 51R-40547 and Part 2 on Reference Plan 51R-40543.
10. Part of Lot 9, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 12 on Reference Plan 51R-40533.
11. Part of Lot 8, Concession 4, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 2 on Reference Plan 51R-40516.
12. Part of Lot 11, Concession 5, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 9 on Reference Plan 51R-40586.
13. Part of Block 182, Registered Plan 51M-1075, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, County of Simcoe, designated as Part 12 on Reference Plan 51R-4056S.

# Including seniors accommodation in the Official Plan

MIRIAM KING  
Bradford Times

It was a small but engaged group that attended the Official Plan Review Stakeholders' meeting, on seniors accommodation. The session, held Aug. 23, was the third in a series of workshops facilitated by Joe Netherly of MMM Group and town planning staff, to gather input on policy.

Ryan Windle, manager of community planning explained that the goal is to create policies that will encourage "a diversity of housing," to meet the needs of an aging population.

"We can't control the free market," Windle said, but municipalities can create long-term policies that encourage the kind of diverse, affordable housing needed, and even mandate construction. "You've got to force the issue, sometimes."

"The key word for me is 'balance,'" said Dale Beasse of Bekerman Properties – the company developing a seniors' facility on 10 Sideroad. "You don't want a developer in control of what is built in town, because developers are all about money." He suggested, "If the mandate is combined with other aspects of building that are more profitable,

you can amortize the costs" – making the construction of affordable or smaller housing units more attractive to profit-oriented developers. As an example, he cited a mixed-use project in Vancouver, that "worked financially."

Deputy Mayor James Leduc was opposed to "mandating" types of construction. "I wouldn't be mandating, because that ties a lot of land up," Leduc said. "We want to work in partnership with developers... Two-storey mansions, right now the market is driving it. We can't stop that... It can't be mandated. That will drive development away."

Participant Eleanor Sherbo agreed, but suggested the town could sway developers by offering "concessions" – such as allowing link homes and slab-on-grade construction in residential subdivisions, to encourage affordable housing.

Nancy Young noted, "People still want bungalows," especially local residents who want to downsize and remain in their community.

"You get people in from Vaughan who want two-storeys, but you want to keep (seniors) in town... bungalows are not just for seniors, they're for young people."

Beasse, noting that the number of seniors in BWG will increase by 80% over the next few years, had praise for town council and the Community Improvement Plan incentives that have led to Bekerman Properties' planned \$40 million investment, providing seniors' accommodation, creating up to 90 jobs. "The demographics don't lie. It's why we're here, as a business."

To a complaint that the facility will be too "high end" for most residents, he said, "We're going to be serving a segment of the population. It doesn't mean it's a solution for everybody... It's a start."

There was a call for more Mixed Use development, combining retail/medical with housing; for apartments – and an end to the "not in my backyard" attitude; and for an active seniors' committee, to keep residents engaged as the Official Plan proceeds.

There will be a special meeting of council on Sept. 6 to hear comments on the Official Plan; and a Public Open House on Sept. 13, from 4-6 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. A Statutory Public Meeting will take place Oct. 4. For information, see [www.townofbradford.com/plan/bwg](http://www.townofbradford.com/plan/bwg).

## Council Briefs

### Parking issue resolved

Council held up approval of two townhome blocks, in plan 51M-1001, over parking concerns – but on Aug. 23, the proposal came back to council, with an off-street parking option that addressed councillors' concerns.

"We met with the developer to understand how we can make it better, so we can proceed with the application," said Councillor Raj Sandhu. "The developer has agreed to extra parking." The plan was revised to include boulevard parking, paid for by the developer, with no on-street parking on Miller Park Ave. In the area. "The developer did his job. He listened," said Deputy Mayor James Leduc.

Councillor Gary Lamb was opposed. "Who's going to own the parking? Who's going to remove the snow? Will there be overnight parking?... I do not want to provide parking for developments. They should provide their own."

"We will plow it. That's what we'll have to do, for residents to be able to park there," Leduc replied, suggesting it was a responsibility that comes with intensification.

Councillor Mark Contois agreed, noting that most of the complaints received by Council relate to on-street parking. Providing off-street visitor parking "is the way we have to be thinking."

"This is providing parking to visitors who come, or to residents, or to visitors to the park. If we have to plow it, we have to plow it," said Councillor Sandhu. Council approved the revised plan.

### New Discharge of Firearms bylaw

The Town of BWG still hasn't come to a decision on Sunday hunting – but it has recommended approval of a new Discharge of Firearms Bylaw, setting more stringent rules in the municipality.

The new bylaw bans the discharge of firearms in parks, on municipal property, at schools or other institutional facilities; creates a 200 metre buffer zone around settlement areas (Bond Head, Newton Robinson and Bradford) and Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Area property in which discharge of firearms is banned; bans use of a firearm with a calibre greater than .275, discharge of firearms within 50 metres of a public highway or 200 metres of any dwelling, park, educational facility or institution, without the permission of the owner.

The exceptions: Use of firearms by peace officers, use at a lawful shooting range, and the longstanding agricultural exception that allows farmers to protect crops and livestock.

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# A World Youth Day experience

ALY GARZON

Special to the Bradford Times

Thousands of young pilgrims from all over the world, including our small group of six youth from Bradford's Holy Martyrs of Japan, accompanied by adult pilgrims and chaplains, experienced the opportunity of a lifetime this summer in Krakow, Poland.

From celebrating Mass with Pope Francis, to attending concerns and vigils at night, World Youth Day had hundreds of activities for youth to connect to their faith, form new relationships, and learn more about themselves.

We attended daily catechism sessions, heard international speakers and Cardinals, celebrated mass and had the afternoon to go to our choice of activities,

including concerts and testimonies. My favourite part was the overnight vigil, where we walked 20K to a site where we met up with over 1 million other young people, all making a pilgrimage from different areas of Poland.

Once we got there, we set our sleeping bags on any patch of ground we could find, and set up camp for the night. We had a candle-light vigil with the Pope, followed by a concert of praise and worship music in all languages, that lasted all night long and continued into the next morning.

After the concert, we celebrated a final mass, and Pope Francis announced that the next World Youth Day would be held in the beautiful country of Panama.

Once the official World Youth Day activities con-

cluded, we had the opportunity to visit Auschwitz, where we had a powerful and chilling experience, learning about history first-hand. We were also able to visit the salt mines, castles and many other historic sites.

After our time in Poland, we expanded our expedition to Rome, where we looked at Basilicas, the Vatican, Trevi Fountain, and much more.

Throughout the whole trip, we were able to bond with people from all over the world, who shared our faith and helped us understand it better, and grow in it together. It also allowed us to experience cultures from all over the globe and learn so much about our faith, history, diversity, and most deeply, ourselves.

World Youth Day was an incredible, once-in-a-lifetime experience.



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Bradford teens join young pilgrims from around the world, at World Youth Day in Poland.

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## Elite Dance Corps



MORGAN KING/BRADFORD TIMES

Once again, dancers with Elite Dance Corps in Bradford brought their high-energy performances to the main stage at Bradford's CarrotFest, on Aug. 20. The school has been delighting crowds with a combination of cute costumes and clever choreography.

## The Arts at MIMPA!

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## News Briefs

## Fia's Hair Braid Fundraiser

Everyone's seen them: incredible braids, that go way beyond styling to become works of art. On Saturday, Aug. 27, experienced young hair braider Fareeha Chaudhry will be hosting Fia's Hair Braids fundraiser at Great Clips salon, 547 Holland St. West in Bradford, from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. She'll create Open Hair Braids for \$5, Braids for \$10, and stunning Braided Updos for \$20, with all proceeds going to Ronald

McDonald House in Toronto and Wishing Well Sanctuary in Bradford. Please make an appointment for the Aug. 27 fundraiser, by contacting Fareeha at [Fiahyah@gmail.com](mailto:Fiahyah@gmail.com) or 1-478-857-3451.

## Laughter Yoga!

Certified Laughter Yoga Teacher Cathy Nesbitt is inviting everyone to the final summer session of Cathy's Chuckle Club on Sunday, Aug. 28,

from 11 a.m. to noon in her own beautiful backyard at 43 Thornton Ave. Discover the power of laughter to reduce stress, increase feelings of happiness, promote positive mental attitude, boost the immune system, and improve fitness - 10 minutes of belly laughter can equal 30 minutes of sustained rowing! Cost is \$10 per person, \$15 per family for an hour of wonderful laughter yoga.



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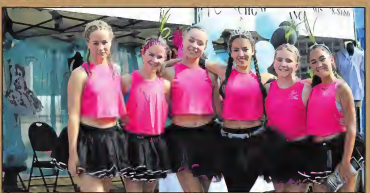
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## Bradford School of Dance

MURHAN KING/BRADFORD TIMES  
Young dancers with the Bradford School of Dance demonstrated their art to the delight of passers-by at Carrotfest - performing a Carrot ballet, especially choreographed for the festival, on Aug. 20.



## Bond Head's Music in the Park

The Bond Head Lions will host Music in the Park II at Bud Brown Memorial Park in Bond Head - an afternoon of music, community, and fundraising for Matthews House Hospice.

On Sunday, Aug. 28, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., everyone is invited to the park for a Classic Car & Truck Show (car show registration begins at 10 a.m.), Lions' BBQ, vendors, and an outdoor concert. The music will start at 11 a.m., featuring Front Porch Harmony, Heaton Creek Rising, View 3, and headliners Naomi Bristow, the Yodelin' Cowgirl, and Cana-

dian music icons, The Good Brothers.

Country and Gospel singer Naomi Bristow, now 18, has been performing since she was 8 - entertaining thousands across Canada and the U.S., and recording in Nashville with members of the Grand Ole Opry, including Vince Gill. This is an opportunity to hear an amazing young talent.

The Good Brothers - Bruce, Brian and Larry - have been on the music scene since the early 1970s, earning 8 Junos. They were inducted into the Canadian Country Music Hall

of Fame in 2004, and the North American Country Music Association International Hall of Fame just this year.

Admission to Music In the Park II is free, but donations to the Hospice, located in Alliston and serving South Simcoe, will be gratefully accepted. Matthews House Hospice, which provides end of life care and compassionate support to grieving families, relies on donations and community support.

Bring a lawn chair, and come out for a great afternoon of music.



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Naomi Bristow, the Yodelin' Cowgirl, in concert at the Danube Seniors Leisure Centre in Bradford on June 11.

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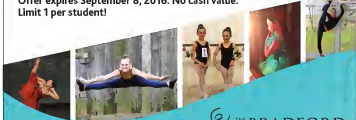
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## Early Bird winner

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Grand Prize in the Bradford Lions' Mammoth Draw - a 2016 Chevrolet Colorado pick-up truck - on display at the ticket sale booth at Carrotfest. The Bradford Lions were at Carrotfest on Aug. 20, selling tickets for the Mammoth Draw taking place Sept. 10 at the Bradford Community Ticket. Each \$100 ticket provides a chance to win a share



of \$102,362.75 in prizes, including the grand prize of a 2016 Chev Colorado pick-up truck, and three Early Bird prizes of \$1000 each. The second Early Bird winner was drawn at Carrotfest - won by ticket #953, held by MP for York Simcoe, Peter Van Loan.

## Bradford Lions launch Leo Club

Bradford - The Bradford Lions Club is holding its Community Awareness Day on Saturday, Aug. 27 from noon to 3 p.m. at the Bradford Courthouse, on Holland St. East. It's an opportunity for the Lions to say thank you to the community for years of support, with a free barbecue - and to provide information on the service organization, and all that it does in the community, from support for Minor

sports and the Lions Aquatic Centre, at the BWG Leisure Centre, to Dog Guides and donations to Southlake Regional Health Centre.

This year, the club will also be providing information on a new initiative: a Leo Club, for young people ages 12 to 18, that provides volunteer opportunities within the community. A Leo Club is run by its members, who will elect their own executive, identify their own community initiatives, carry

out their own fundraising events and decide where the money will be donated. There is no cost to join - and members will easily reach their needed Community Hours, to graduate from high school.

The Lions are also holding an information session on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at the Lions Den (downstairs in the Lions Park Building off Colborne St.) at 7 p.m., for young people and their families to find out more.



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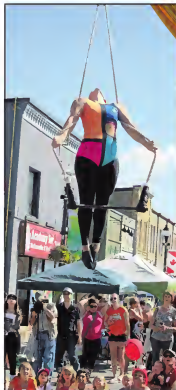
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Elizabeth, 11, was the winner of 3 Scoops' Messy Face Ice Cream Contest. She won a \$25 gift certificate for more ice cream.



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Busker Mighty Mike juggles.



MIRIAM KING/BRADFORD TIMES

Hercinia Arts aerialist performs at Carrotfest, high above the crowd.



MIRIAM KING/BRADFORD TIMES

Silver Elvis was one of the buskers entertaining visitors.



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Gwily the Carrot Mascot joins, from left, Councillor Mark Contois, Deputy Mayor James Ledue, MPP Julia Munro, Councillors Gary Lamb and Raj Sandhu, Mayor Rob Keffer and Councillors Ron Orr and Peter Dykic Jr.



MIRIAM KING/BRADFORD TIMES

PWA Wrestling at CarrotFest.



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Twirling a flaming baton, the Fire Guy Brant Matthews rides a one-wheel.



Corrine Donnelly with works, on display at the Bradford Centre for the Arts (Bradford United Church) during CarrotFest on Aug. 20.

## Bradford Fine Artists at CarrotFest

### BRADFORD TIMES STAFF

The Bradford Fine Artists group embraces everything from music to dance, painting and photography. Enthusiastic and talented members of Bradford Fine Artists were active at two locations during CarrotFest, bringing arts and culture to the street festival. Several performers entertained the crowds beside the Bradford Courthouse, on Holland St. East - while others sang and played at the new Bradford Centre for the Arts,

better known as Bradford United Church, at 96 Barrie St. There was also a display of artwork and photography at the centre, offering festival-goers the opportunity to duck out of the heat, enjoy a glass of lemonade, and chat with the artists.

The CarrotFest event included an Open Mic session, allowing everyone to come by and try out the unique acoustical properties of "hundred year old plaster and wood" for themselves.



Blake Zimmerman, Sixth Sense Photography, with photos.

The church is now in transition to a Centre for the Arts, while still maintaining its ecclesiastic function. Plans are underway to build a performance stage in the area of the altar, this October, removing the heavy wooden railing that currently blocks the view. The stage will increase the versatility of the church as a performance centre for the arts.

For more information, contact Rev. Jim Keenan at 905-751-5335 or revkeenan@gmail.com.



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Getting into the rhythm, during a drumming circle at the Newton Robinson Bridge Out Street Party.

## Bridge Out party in Newton Robinson

MIRIAM KING  
Bradford Times

Some communities would see the prospect of having a bridge out for several months, severing a major transportation route, as a major inconvenience and complain loudly.

The residents of Newton Robinson, led by their informal "Mayor and Council," took it as an opportunity to hold a "Bridge Out Street Party."

With permission from the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, they took over Line 10 just west of County Rd. 27 on Aug. 20, for a day of community fun that started with a giant Yard Sale at 8 a.m., and

ended with a "Grill Off," potluck dinner, and music.

The day included Street Hockey, old-fashioned games for the kids, refreshments, a drumming circle with Da Fun Sisters, and a community barbecue that saw local grillers bring their best recipes to the grill, from Zesty Lime Chicken, to Brazilian Beef Sliders in honour of the Olympics in Rio de Janeiro. For the less adventurous, there were hot dogs and hamburgers, and a selection of salads, as families got together to celebrate.

Everything was by donation - raising money for the next community get-together in Newton Robinson.

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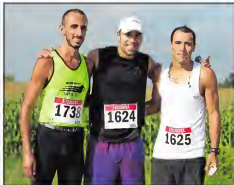
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Top 3 in the CarrotFast 5K Run, from left - 3rd place Ali Ghadghoni, 1st place Jose Carvalho, 2nd place Fernando Carvalho.



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Start of the annual CarrotFast 5K Run.

## Sports Briefs

The Friends of Scanlon Creek are organizing the third annual Run for the Trails at Scanlon Creek Conservation Area, off the 9th Line BWG, to take place Saturday, Oct. 22. Includes a challenging 7K Trail Run/Walk, a fun 3K Run/Walk,

and a 1K Toddle for kids. A fundraiser for the Conservation Area and its trails. For more information, or sponsorship, see lakesimcoefoundation.ca or call 905-895-1281. A great Run/Walk on the trails at Scanlon!



MIRIAM KING/BRADFORD TIMES

Runner Kevin Tree, who just missed being selected for Team Canada at the Rio Olympics, ran the CarrotFast 5K pushing a stroller - and finished in 21 minutes. He then ran an extra lap.



MIRIAM KING/BRADFORD TIMES

Runners included members of the Newmarket Huskies, and Ontario Masters Athletics.

## Running fast at CarrotFest

### BRADFORD TIMES STAFF

The annual 5K CarrotFest Run has been part of Bradford's CarrotFest for the past 13 years - a great community event, and timed road race that is also the Ontario Masters Athletics championship.

This year's race followed a new route with so much construction on the 8th Line, the route was shortened and runners were asked to run two 2.5km laps. Once again,

local runner Jose Carvalho led the pack, with a blistering time of just under 16 minutes.

The Newmarket Huskies Track Club was well-represented at the race, sending runners of all ages to compete. And Kevin Tree, who narrowly missed qualifying for the 2016 Olympics in Rio, ran the route pushing a stroller - finishing 5K in under 21 minutes, then running another lap just for fun.

## Run for the Trails at Scanlon

### Fall Trail Walk in Bradford

Town of BWG's Active Transportation and Recreation Committee has organized a new Trail Walk. On Saturday, Sept. 10, the public is invited to meet at 10:30 a.m. in the BWG Public Library Parking Lot (beside the Bradford Farmers' Market), to "walk the spine" of Bradford. The "spine" - a north-south system of trails running through the Bradford valleys - is a unique urban hiking experience. The September walk will head in a northwesterly direction from the library, for a 5K hike.

The committee, comprised of residents and two members of town council, advocates for the development of trails and walkways to augment the existing transportation system in BWG. "active" transportation refers to any form of human-powered transportation, including

walking, cycling, in-line skating, and skateboarding. The new Trail Walk is designed to highlight the community's trail system.

For more information, contact Nick Warman, Manager of Recreation & Client Services, 905-775-7529, ext. 8501 or nwarman@townofbwg.com.

### Golf tournament for Procyon

PROCYON Wildlife hosts its second annual Charity Golf Tournament on Saturday, Sept. 10 at the Nottawasaga Inn & Resort, in Alliston. Registration fee of \$130 per golfer includes 18 holes of golf, cart, barbecue and prizes - and will raise money for the centre. Just outside Beeton, dedicated to the rescue, rehabilitation and release of orphaned and injured wildlife. The registered charity is run entirely by local volunteers, and relies on donations and fundraising. To sign up for the tourney, contact Annabella

Stoyke at 416-566-8066 or email bellaprocyon@gmail.com - or visit www.procyonwildlife.com. Shotgun start at 9 a.m. on Sept. 10; Best Ball format.

### Pools closing for maintenance

The BWG Leisure Centre's pools will be closed for scheduled maintenance, from 5 p.m. on Sept. 4 through Sept. 23. The Aquatics Centre will reopen at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 24. Maintenance at the Bradford Lions Aquatics Centre will include draining all three pools, inspecting the structure, cleaning all areas, and inspecting the pool mechanical systems.

"The aquatics centre has been in operation for over four years now, serving thousands of residents in leisure swimming, lessons and leadership courses," says manager of leisure facilities Kevin Gale. "In order to continue to provide these exceptional programs,

staff will ensure that the facility and equipment continue to be in excellent condition to meet the expectations of our residents." For more information call 905-775-7529 or email leisurecentre@townofbwg.com.

### Soccer championship, charity game

Bradford Soccer Club invites the community to come out and support young soccer players at the Year-End Championships, taking place this Saturday, Aug. 27 at the Cerico Field and Reeves Field (at the Bradford Community Centre, 125 Simcoe Rd.) from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

In addition to championship play, there will be a Charity Game between the BSC Coaches, and the 2000 Girls Rep Eagles. Admission is a donation of a non-perishable food item, for the Helping Hand Food Bank. The charity match will take place at 5 p.m. All welcome!

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**MOVIES UNDER THE STARS:** At the grassy area beside the BWG Public Library & Cultural Centre, 425 Holland St. West. The Good Dinosaur (PG) will screen at dusk - bring your own snacks, blankets and lawn chairs! Free.

**SEED SAVER WORKSHOP:** The Innisfil Seed Library presents another workshop at the Lakeshore Library, Innisfil Beach Rd. in Alcona, at 6 p.m. Learn how save seeds from your favourite herbs and flowers. Pre-register at the Library.

## SAT., AUG. 27

**TREASURE SALE:** Donated treasures can be yours for a donation to the Bradford United Church, 8 a.m. to 11 a.m., at 66 Barrie St. in Bradford. Rent a table for \$15; call 905-775-7268.

**EUCHRE PARTY:** At Bradford United Church, 66 Barrie St. in Bradford, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Tickets at the door for an evening of cards, refreshments and prizes. All welcome.

**BRADFORD LIONS COMMUNITY DAY:** From 12 to 3 p.m. at the Bradford Courthouse on Holland St. East, the Bradford Lions will be holding their free Community Day BBQ, and handing out information on the Lions and new Leo Club. Also, Marmoth Car Draw tickets will be for sale - \$100 each, for a chance at \$102,362.75 in prizes, including the Grand prize of a 2016 Chevy Colorado Pick-up truck. Final Early Bird Draw for \$100 will take place at 3 p.m.

**FIA'S HAIR BRAIDS:** Fundraiser for

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Ronald McDonald House in Toronto, and for the Wishing Well Sanctuary for rescued and abused animals in BWG. At Great Clips, 547 Holland St. West, from 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Please book an appointment for Open Braids, Braids, or Braided Updos, at 1-647-857-3451 or [flyahyhi@gmail.com](mailto:flyahyhi@gmail.com).

**BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB GARAGE SALE:** At 123 Golden Meadow Rd. in Barrie, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Proceeds will go to Georgian College's "inTuition" Campaign.

**PEROGY DINNER:** St. Michael's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, 721 Simcoe Rd., hosts another fundraising Perogy Dinner - \$10-\$12-\$14 for a small-regular-large dinner of perogies, sausage or meat on a stick, salad and dessert. Tickets at the door. Side orders of sausage, cabbage rolls and borscht available at a nominal fee.

## SUN., AUG. 28

**MUSIC IN THE PARK II:** Bond Head Lions present Music in the Park at the Bud Brown Memorial Park in Bond Head, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Includes a BBQ, Vendors, and musical entertainment.

by Beeton Creek Rising, Front Porch Harmony, Yew J. Naom Bristow and the Good Brothers! Also, Antiques & Vintage Car Show - registration begins at 10 a.m. Admission is free, but donations will be gratefully accepted for Matthews House Hospice.

## THURS., SEPT. 1

**BRADFORD'S MUSIC IN THE PARK:** Happ Broderman Band, at the grassy area beside the BWG Public Library, 425 Holland St. West. Young performers from the York-Simcoe Youth Music Festival open the evening at 6:30 p.m., headliner at 7:30 p.m. Bring your own lawn chair, blankets and snacks. Free.

## SUN., SEPT. 4

**JAKESTOCK:** A home grown music festival at the Gilford Community Hall in Innisfil, raising funds for the upkeep of the hall. Gates open at 12, with games and a bouncy castle for the kids; silent auction; BBQ at 2 p.m.; music at 4 p.m. Gate fee is \$15 per person, \$25 per family in advance, \$30 at the gate, includes membership to the Hall.

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<b>Springdale Christian Reformed Church</b> 1466 Sideroad #6, Bradford 905-775-3721 Sundays 10:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m. Sunday School & Nursery Pastor Paul VanStralen <a href="http://www.springdalecrtc.net">www.springdalecrtc.net</a>	<b>Holy Trinity Lutheran Church</b> 53 Miller Park Ave., Bradford 905-775-3412 Sunday Service: 10:00 a.m.
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<b>Iglesia Hispana de Bradford</b> 758 Simcoe Rd. Bradford Pastor: Juan Carlos Espino Wed. 7:30 pm Bible Study Sun: 1:00 pm Worship Service Admin: 416-723-8670 <b>www.iglesiashispanaenbradford.com</b>	<b>Iglesia Bautista Castellana De Bradford</b> 3220 - 10th Sd. Pastor: Equiano Pineda Sundays 2:30pm Wed: 7:30pm oratorio & estudio de la palabra en hogares Info: 905-775-9213

## Hair Briefs

### BWG Community Initiatives' AGM

The BWG Community Initiatives holds its Annual General Meeting for 2016 at Bradford United Church, 66 Barrie St. on Sept. 15, at 7 p.m. Election of Directors for the Board of BWGCI will also take place that evening. All volunteers, donors and individuals interested in promoting the group's mandate to make healthy affordable food available to all residents of Bradford are urged to attend, and perhaps consider nomination to the Board of Directors. Candidates for the positions of directors are encouraged to come forward to continue the Community Initiatives' work.

BWGCI is entering its 13th year of running the community meal. Operating out of Bradford United, the group serves on average 40 persons with a hot meal on Friday evenings, at no charge. The BWGCI is entirely funded through generous donations from local churches, service groups and individuals. The organization has expanded its outreach to promote Community Gardens here in Bradford - a practice adopted by many Canadian municipalities to promote healthy eating, outdoor exercise, a way to meet neighbours and build strong social networks.

## e-Waste Collection Days



MURRAY KINZ/BRADFORD TIMES

The fifth annual e-waste collection weekend, raising funds for BWG Community Initiatives, and the Bradford Community Meal, is coming up in September. Residents are invited to drop off used and unwanted electronics, from cell phones, computers and peripherals, to monitors, TVs and toaster ovens, at the Bradford Community Meal, Sept. 17 and 18. Volunteers will be on hand from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. both days, to help donors unload their electronic waste - keeping it out of landfill, and transforming it, through recycling, into money for charitable causes.

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## News Briefs

### Barrie Fair!

The 163rd Barrie Fair returns to the Essa Agriplex this weekend – Midway, livestock shows, live entertainment, Truck and Tractor Pulls, and this year, the RCMP Musical Ride! Thursday, Aug. 25 will see Opening Ceremonies at 6 p.m., followed by the Barrie Fair Ambassador competition at 6:30 p.m., and a Demolition Derby at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26 is 4-H Day – a day of beef, dairy, horse, sheep and Interclub Competition for 4-H members. In the evening, there will be a Truck and Tractor Pull, at 7 p.m. And on Saturday and Sunday, the RCMP Musical Ride will take place, at 11:30 a.m. and at 4:30 p.m. each day. Sunday will also feature a free pancake breakfast, at 9 a.m., served up by Georgian College. For more information see [www.essaagriplex.ca](http://www.essaagriplex.ca). Admission to the fair is \$10 for ages 13 and older, \$5 for kids 5 to 12, and free for kids 5 and under.

### Barrie Dragon Boat Festival

The Barrie Public Library hosts the Barrie Dragon Boat Festival on Saturday, Aug. 27, at Heritage Park. Dragon Boat Festivals will come from far and wide to race on Kempenfelt Bay, and raise money for a range of causes. This year's Dragon Boat Teams include Dragon Slayers (raising funds for Hospice Simcoe), D.G. Bevan Dragon (fundraising for RVH's Cancer Care Centre), Pirates of the EpilepsySeas, Positive Paddlers (for C.O.P.E. Service Dogs), and Habitat BuildOARS, for Habitat for Humanity. The action kicks off at 6:30 a.m. with a ceremony to wake the dragon, followed by the first race heat at 7:40 a.m. A Spirit of the Dragon Concert starts at 10:30 a.m., and continues all afternoon, with wrap up and awards ceremony at 4:45 p.m. For more information, see [barriedragonboatfestival.ca](http://barriedragonboatfestival.ca) or call 705-728-1010. Includes a beer garden, that opens at noon.



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Plowing a straight furrow in the Simcoe County Plowmen's Association plowing match.



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Horse-drawn plowing competition at the Simcoe County Plowmen's Association plowing match in Bradford West Gwillimbury.

## Behind the plow, in South Simcoe



MURLAN KING/BRADFORD TIMES

Adjusting the plow.

### BRADFORD TIMES STAFF

The Simcoe County Plowmen's Association's 104th annual plowing match took place on Aug. 20 at the Bradford West Gwillimbury farm of Bryan and Jen Fieldhouse and family, just north of Bond Head.

There were 10 entries in the horse-drawn plowing match – matched teams, pulling old-style plows through the soil – as well as dozens of antique and modern tractors and plows, competing for prizes

and standing, based on the straightness of the furrow, uniformity of depth, and neatness.

The event also included a horseshoe tournament, under sunny skies – all of it attracting visitors who appreciate agricultural tradition.

The International Plowing Match and Farm Machinery Show, hosted by the Ontario Plowmen's Association, will be taking place in Minto, in Wellington County, Sept. 20-21.

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# Bradford Family Fun Fair

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It's an afternoon of bouncy castles and inflatable prizes, music, hot dogs, sno-cones, candy floss, old-fashioned games and family fun, in the idyllic setting of

a park, surrounded by grass and trees.

A splash pad, operated by the town, adds to the fun on a hot summer day.

Organized by Bradford Baptist Church and Bradford Community Church, the annual event is also completely free - bringing together families of all denominations, and putting smiles on kids' faces.



Helio Kitty! Shilo, 8, enjoyed the face-painting at the Family Fun Fair.

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The Family Fun Fair at the Lions Park offered free bouncy castles and obstacle courses.

## Good news for mystery-lovers

Staff

They say, write what you know.

For Judy Penz Sheluk, that means the world of journalism, antiques, and the Town of East Gwillimbury.

A freelance writer, editor of *Home-BUILT* Magazine, and senior editor for the *New England Antiques Journal*, Penz Sheluk lived in Holland Landing and the Newmarket area for years, before writing her first book, *The Hanged Man's Noose*.

A murder mystery about crooked developers, life in a small town, and long-hidden secrets, it's a gripping tale that draws on Penz Sheluk's knowledge of investigative reporting, antiques, and local history.

Protagonist Emily Garland is introduced sitting a computer screen in Toronto, writing to deadline for an Urban Living publication, but the action quickly shifts to "Lount's Landing" - Penz Sheluk's fictionalized version of Holland Landing, with plenty of references to Samuel Lount, who was hanged for his role in William Lyon Mackenzie's 1837 Rebellion.

Penz Sheluk says that she was always fascinated by Lount's story. He was hanged for treason, "yet there is plaque commemorating him in front of the Holland Landing Library and Community Centre."

In fact, she says, "The book takes its

name from the local pub on the town's Main Street; the owner is a history buff. The basic premise, while fictional, was also inspired by growth of the region."

Published last July by Barking Rain Press, *The Hanged Man's Noose* is a fun read, especially for anyone familiar with the Holland Landing area and its history.

Her second book, *Skeletons in the Attic: A Marketville Mystery*, was released on August 21 by Imajin Books - and, she admits, "Marketville does bear some resemblance to Newmarket - although once again I've taken great liberties."

In *Skeletons in the Attic*, Toronto call centre worker Calamity Barn-

stable inherits a house in Marketville from her late father, who died in an "occupational accident."

There is a catch: Callie, who never knew the house existed, inherits on the condition that she move into the home, and find out who murdered her mother 30 years earlier.

The book, like her earlier mystery, has garnered positive advance reviews - and is available from a variety of sources, including Amazon (amazon.com/author/judysheluk).

And more good news for readers: Penz Sheluk is already at work on sequels to both books. For more information, see [www.judysheluk.com](http://www.judysheluk.com).



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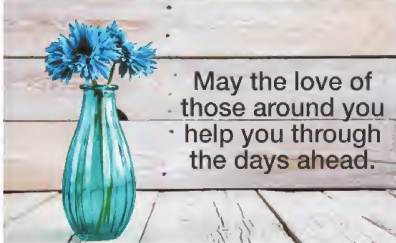


Joel and Michele Burrows are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter **Jessica to Jeffrey** Son of Gordon and Emma Hoekstra. Wedding to take place June 10, 2017. Love to you both!

**HARATYM, Andrzej (Andrew)** - (Owner of Stanley's Hardwood Flooring for 29 years) Suddenly passed away on Sunday, August 21, 2016 in his 58th year. Beloved husband of Halina. Loving dad of Thomas. Dear son-in-law of Janina Wiczyńska. Friends may be received at **SKWARCZUK FUNERAL HOME**, 30 Simcoe Rd., Bradford for visitation on Sunday, August 26, 2016 from 1-4 p.m. Funeral Mass will be held at the Holy Marys of Japan Church, 167 Eglar St., Bradford on Monday, August 29, 2016 at 12 noon followed by cremation.

Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day. Unseen, unheard, but always near. Still loved, still missed and very dear. - *unknown*

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